MADE BY MINORS

National Baseball Commission Ends Eighth Annual Meeting.

CLASS AA IS RECOGNIZED

Will Be Ranked Between Two Major Leagues and Class A.

recognition of a class in minor baseball leagues, to be known as Class AA, section of the national peace agree-ment, the National Baseball Commis-

ment, the National Baseball Commis-sion ended its eighth annual meeting here to-day.

The visit of the hosts of minor league magnates to the meeting was not in vain, inasmuch as they were granted everything that they requested of the commission. The Class AA will be ranked between the two major leagues and the Class A league and will be chants however the two major leagues of the class A league, and will be iesed of the International League, and will be iesed of the International League, and some season association and the Pacacast League. Like the major nee, the Class AA league clubs not sell players except for immestately players except for immestately players. This rule does not bind delivery. This rule does not bind leagues of a lower classification, scores:

Richmond Lauch. the leagues of a lower classification,

however.

The drafting season, which has heretefore opened on September I, will in
the future open on September 15. The
tesson for purchasing players will
close August 20, as formerly. The first
dive days of the drafting season, from
September 15 to September 20, will be
given over to the mater largest and the season.

Totals | Company Co over to the major leagues ex-ely. Two days will then be al-to clapse, and the Class AA Bullard solubs will have a ten-day draft-mason. Then the leagues of lower Fluory heation will have their season in Biland... der of their classification. the principal changes in the

GRANTS REQUESTS Ford Car Owners BEGIN PRACTICE

Bowling

The Richmond Lunch and the Pro-Phy-Tol Company team of the Mer-chants' Bowling League played one of

Totals 651 691 725 2,067

Totals 716 685 691 2,092

Totals \$62

833 841 2.536

Ashland, Va., January 4.—Randolph-Macon College opened yesterday after cleven days Christmas holiday. Nearthe home club, while the same rule ap-plies to miner league players and mi-nor league clubs playing in major league towns polies to minor league clubs playing in major league towns.

August ilermann, president of the Chiefmant baseball club, was re-elected chairman of the commission: John E. Bruce, of the St. Louis club, of the American League, was selected as sectorary.

J. H. Farrell, secretary of the National Association, in speaking of the changes, said: American League, was selected as secretary.

J. H. Farrell, secretary of the National Association, in speaking of the changes, said:

"The commission awarded every request made by us, and I believe that we have bettered conditions among the minor leagues over 100 per cent. There will not be a minor league man in the country that will not be elated over the result of the meeting."

Chairman Herrmann, of the commission, said:

"The requests made by the minors were fair in every case. I think that we have bettered the conditions of the national game as well as that of the minors."

ball season.

Manager Millicuy has arranged sev-Forest College, at Wake Forest, and Catholic University, in Washington. Since the gymnasium has been en-

that exquisite neutral gin flavorthat long sought *ideal* flavor of every lover of the rickey and the fizz—has been achieved AT LAST in Coronese Dry Cin The Monarch of Gins R. L. Christian, & Co., Distributors Richmond, Va.

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the tournament.

suit me best to bowl.

Signed_

IN OUTLAW CIRCUIT

In Addition to Five Franchises Aiready Granted.

Spotsylvania. Va. January 4.—One of the most oxcitting and animated fox chases ever had in this county took chase ever had in this county took the abode of a noted red fox was in the county, and this reynard had been and thirty men and women, well the many fox hunter measurement of the county, and this reynard had been and thirty men and women, well trained dogs to capture the willy and thirty men and women, well trained dogs to capture the will and thirty men and women, well trained dogs to capture the will and thirty men and women well trained dogs to capture the will and thirty men and women well trained dogs to capture the will and the proposition of the proposition as being law to the proposition as the last second meeting law the proposition as the last second meeting and thirty men and the red to the county of the sakes in the county to the last the last second meeting in the red to the county of the last second meeting in the proposition is being law to the last the last second meeting in the proposition is being law to the last the last second meeting in the proposition is being law to the last the las

SEVEN CITIES NOW

He Denies Having Knowledge

LEADER OF CULT

of Whereabouts of Missing Lindsay Boy.

Chicago, January 4 .- A second disappearance of William Lindsay, twelve years old, and heir to an uncle's for of the cult leader and the introduc ion of testimony controverting the latter's assertions that the boy his mother held places in the cult different from other members, were fea tures of to-day's hearing in the Juve nlie Court, involving the "Rev. Dr." Otorman Zar Adusht Hanich, head of the Mazdaznan cult here.

remperature Expected to Drop Down to Ten Degrees To-Night.

TWO GO TO THE ROADS

Going Back for Trial. Charles Freeman, colored, serving afty days in the Henrico jail for carrying concealed weapons, will be take to Warwick county to-day to be tree on the charge of breaking into the warchouse of the Cresapeake and Ohic Rallway Company in that county Freeman recently was arrested while trespassing on railroad property. He was theed \$250 for the trespass and fined an additional \$26 for carrying concealed weapons.

MISS EDMANDS MISSING

she is in or nor New York City.

The district attorney wishes Miss Edmands to be present at the trial of the innister for the alleged murder of Avis Linnell.

Attorneys Morse and Lee had a brief confersive to-day, and Mr. Lee said later that they had reached an agreement as to the line of defense. The two lawyers went to the Sufolk jall to talk with their client.

Reports are still current that a trial may be averted, but no action to this end has yet been taken by the defense.

MAY NOT OUST HINES

Governors of Union League Club Have
Not Decided as to His Conduct.
Chicago, January 4.—It was reported
to-day that an interval of several
weeks may clapace before the governors
of the Union League Club decide
whether Edward Hines acted in a manner unbecoming a member of the club
in connection with his alleged utterances in regard to the election of Senator William Lorimer; and the part he
(Hines) played in it.
It is understood that some of the
membera take the position that Mr.
Hines has asserted his right to retain
a place in the organization. The lumberman is said to have entered a flut
denial of every statement attributed
to him by Cle ence S. Funk, of the
International Harvester Company, who
testified in the Lorimer bribory investiKation that Mr. Hinog approached him
in the Union League Club with a propcition.

How Motor Cars Are Made.

How Motor Care Are Made.

A free exhibition of pictures will be given this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the given this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the given this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the given the studebaker Corporation. There will be shown the definition of the construction of the E. M. F. 30 and F. 30 and the Flanders 20 automobiles from the raw material in the form of pig from to the simished car.

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New Short-top for Roanoke.

- Mobile: January t.—The Mobile Baseball Association to day soid Shortstop Newton, acquired from Yazzo City, Miss., to the Roanoke, Va., club. Newton has shown much promise as an infielder.

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PEACE DINNER

Secretary of State Knox and Diplomats Guests of Foreign Affairs Committee.

most important and significant inter-national peace functions will be held in Washington early in February, when The court proceedings are the out-growth of an uncle's attempt to re-move the boy from the cuit's "tem-libuse of Reprosentatives will be the Moor and the members of the diplo-

The court proceedings are the outgrowth of an uncle's attempt to remove the boy from the cuit's "temple," where he was living, and where, with his mother, he was receiving treatment" in accordance with the Maxdaxnan belief.

Hantsh denied knowledge of the Maxdaxnan belief.

Hantsh denied knowledge of the whereabouts of the boy or his mother, deciared he was of loyal descent, that he was known by the term "master to his followers; said he became a doctor at a Chicago medical school, and was characteribed "Reverend" his his own society. He told of trips about the country with the Lindany boy at the mother's expense; told of visiting Mrs. Lindsay at her New York apartments and denied that any improprieties took place at the temple.

Mrs. Alma Reakirt, of New York, sister of Mrs. Lindsay, related tales she said her sister had told her where in Dr. Hanish was considered the reincarnation of Christ. She also described mystic rites of adoration before pictures of Christ and Hanish by Mrs. Lindsay and the boy. Mrs. Lindsay, she said, told her Hanish said, she was a princess of France and that the boy was the "lost orphan of Louts XVI".

Mrs. Asenth Cochran, of New York, a friend of Mrs. Lindsay, said the latter had told her of the discovery of Christ in Hanish, and gave as proof the statement that the cult leader "iold her all about hersell."

A recess was taken until Saturday.

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HOSPITAL REFUND



Amusements.

ACADEMY---To-Morrow

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WITH CONCESSIONS Increase in Draft Price Granted by Commission Larger Than Expected—Anticipates Successful Year in Virginia League.

WILLIAMS PLEASED

patch, said he was "tickled to death" over the concessions given the Virginia State feague, as the National League gave as circuit more than he had expected.

"Yes, I am greatly pleased at the turn in the special state of the special state of the special state of the special special state of the special special special state of the special special

events," said President Williams as he sauntered around in the lobby of the Sinton in the midst of a galaxy of baseball mogula who had gathered to learn the lutest news from the Southern chieftain as to affairs in

who has gathered to learn the latest news from the Southern chieftain as to affairs in the Old Dominton baseball world.

"While I expected an increase in the draft price of the players I did not think that it would be increased to so great an extent. But the milional commission recognized the justice of our claims, and though, as I said before, the price was larger than we expected, still it is not exorbitant or in excess of value rockled!

The Virginia League, which is rated as class "C," will be restricted to twenty-four players before May 15, and after that date thirteen players as the maximum for each club in the league. This will probably affect some of the clubs, as two or three have more than that number.

Under the new railing the price received for players in the Virginia League who have been drafted will be \$750, which was the former price. This will amount to one-half increase.

"I have had the meet time in all my life at this meeting," said President Williams." I have met many an old friend whom I have not seen for years, and have cultivated the acquaintence of others whom I think will prove of value to our league. The national commission raising the price of draft-

BUDGET HEARINGS

Pleance Committee to Begin Big Work on January 20.

Notice has been served on the various heads of city departments that the Committee on Finance will begin its annual budget hearings on January 20, and all departments are invited to present estimates of their needs for the coming year. The budget subcommittee will be the same as for two years past, Chairman H. R. Pollard, Jr., and Mesers, Grandy and Richardson, all three of whom are familiar with the workings of the city government.

This year's appropriation ordinance will be the less to be made up on solicitation of the various Council committees, as the new Administrative Hoard takes office January I next, and is directed to furnish the Finance Committee of the Council a schedule of the needs of all city departments under the coatrol.

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